

WHAT IS THE TRUE NAME OF OUR ELOHIM (God)



Moses and the Burning Bush

The word “god” – is a **generic term for many deities** of ancient and modern polytheistic religions, according to Britannica Encyclopedia. And just think, we put a capital “G” in front of this very generic word and apply this title to the Creator of the universe and all that is in it! Should one this awesome be addressed with such a common, nondescript name? Maybe it’s because we forget just how awesome

He is. Maybe we should think about some of the questions “GOD” asked Job: 1) Where were you when I laid the foundations of the earth, 2) Who set the boundaries for the waves of the sea, 3) Have you ever caused the day to spring forth? 4) Where does light.. or darkness dwell? 5) Do you know where snow or hail is stored? 6) Did you give the horse his strength or his bravery? These are just a few questions the Creator asked Job – none of which Job or anyone else can answer.

So, what did “GOD” say his name was? In **Ex. 3:13-14**, GOD tells Moses to tell the people his name is “I AM THAT I AM”. The Hebrew name is “**Yahweh**” which means ‘To Be’ or “**The Self-Existent One**”. Another Hebrew word for “He Who Exists” is **Yahuah**. The short version of both names is “**Yah**”, which one of the Hebrew words for “God”. *Yah* has many other names that describe aspects of his nature and character. He was known by the Israelites as *Yahuah Shalom* (The Lord is my Peace), *Yahuah Sabaoth* (Lord of Hosts), *Yahuah Rapha* (The Lord Who Heals), to list a few. **Rev 7:3 & 14:1** says, a group of Israelites will have the Father’s name written on our foreheads. That name will not be the very generic term used for all deities of pagan nations and people.

Hence, **Yahuah** should not be included in that generic name for all other gods, who are only idols. He is the only true and living Elohim (God). It’s just as easy to say **Yah**, as to say **God**, but to know the reality of the name and person makes an eternal difference. *Selah. (Think on this)*

The first name mentioned in the Bible is Yah - “In the beginning Yah created the heavens and the earth.”